

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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ROAD TRANSPORTS AND HIGHWAYS
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that it charges toll tax two times upto Agra amounting to Rs. 105/- for up and down trips but it does not care to ensure that the condition of the highway is good with the road being humpy and broken at many places; and

(b) if so, the steps taken to improve the quality of the NH2 from Delhi to Agra?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJOR GENERAL (F B.C.KHANDURI)

(a) & (b) Rate of Fee being charged from road user on National Highway-2 from Delhi to Agra is as under for single trip:

Sl.No.	Type of Vehicle	Fee collection at km 72 for km 18.8 to km108.8	Fee collection at km 160 for km 108.9 to km 199
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1	Car/Jeep/Van	Rs. 35	Rs.35
2	LCV	Rs.60	Rs. 60
3	Trucks/Buses/Multi-axle Vehicles/Heavy Construction Machinery	Rs.125	Rs.125

However, if the same vehicle has to cross the defined toll road stretch more than once in a day, the user shall have the option to pay one and half times the rates specified above while crossing the section in the first trip itself. The user can also have a monthly pass on payment of charges equal to thirty times of single rates. There are other concessions provided to local frequent travelers.

The condition of the road is good in general. However, in order to improve the conditions further, National Highways Authority of India has recently awarded operation and maintenance contract of National Highway-2 from km 18.80 to km 198.0.